

THE WEATHER
Unsettled tonight
Tuesday, probably
rain; warmer tonight

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

Metal Quotations
NEW YORK, Nov.
30.—Bar silver, 49 1/2.

VOL. XIV, NO. 220.

TONOPAH, NEVADA, MONDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 30, 1914

PRICE 10 CENTS

RUSSIANS BOMBARDING FORTS OF CRACOW

Defeat of Austria Would Mean Ascendancy of Czar

SOCIALISTS CONTEST FOR SHERIFF AND WILL ASK FOR A RECOUNT

At a meeting of Socialists last night it was resolved to contest the election of sheriff for Nye county in behalf of William A. Thomas, their party candidate. The official count of Nye county for this office gave Charles L. Slavin, Democrat, 979, and Thomas 844, showing an apparent plurality of 35 for Slavin. The contest will include the office of assemblyman, as the complaint will allege that L. F. Davis, the Socialist nominee, is entitled to a certificate of election. On the face of the returns Davis polled 989 votes against R. F. Gilbert, Republican candidate, who received 1,057 votes and stood lowest of the five high candidates for the assembly.

A. Grant Miller, J. E. McNamara and William A. Forman have been retained as attorneys by the Socialists. It was hinted that a recount will develop very interesting disclosures of statewide importance.

In the contest suit brought by P. J. Gallagher against Harry Dunseath for justice of the peace a demurrer and notice of motion was filed late Saturday afternoon and this morning Judge Averill ruled that the names of the alleged illegal voters be filed with the court by next Friday.

The complaint in course of preparation in the contest for sheriff, it is rumored, will contain allegations of the most sensational order. Among these will be that by the issuance of

a circular on the eve of election setting forth that if the fusion candidates were not elected the mines and mills in Tonopah would close, voters were intimidated. It will also be alleged that the night before election large sums of money were spent in saloons and among the denizens of the restricted district, contrary to the purity of elections law.

Other allegations are as follows: On election morning an inspector in No. 1 precinct reported for duty in an intoxicated condition, unfitted to fill the position, but nevertheless was allowed to act.

That the saloons of Tonopah were allowed to remain open on election day with the connivance of the officers of the law.

That on election night members of the election board made frequent visits to the High School building, where it was reported there was a liberal supply of liquor. In this precinct one of the election officials was not a qualified elector, although the law provides that all clerks and inspectors of election shall possess all the qualifications of electors.

This man is said to have boasted that he traveled 1,000 miles to attend the election. A substitute who was appointed in that precinct was not an elector, and it is hinted that this substitute is not even a citizen of the United States.

TODAY AND A YEAR AGO.

Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah:	1914	1913
5 a. m.	23	25
9 a. m.	27	25
12 noon	31	26
2 p. m.	34	26

PLATT MAKES GAINS IN PIOCHE RETURNS

A REPUBLICAN ASSEMBLYMAN ELECTED AFTER A RECOUNT OF THE RETURNS.

Sam Platt arrived in Tonopah this morning from Pioche, where he was an observer of the contest initiated by Walker against Beason for the assembly.

According to the official returns H. Beason, Republican, editor of the Pioche Record, was elected by a majority of six votes and Frank Walker, his Democratic opponent, asked for a recount, with the result that Beason was declared entitled to the certificate by one vote. In this case it developed that, according to an unofficial tally that Platt gained ten votes in Lincoln county. This, with the reported gain in Storey county, again places the Carson City statesman in the front as a senatorial possibility.

Editorial of Bonanza Applauded By President of Jumbo Extension

To the Editor of the Bonanza:

I have just finished reading your editorial in Saturday evening's issue, "If You Stick You'll Win," and as one of the old guard who has "stuck" and been instrumental in helping to bring back a revival in the camp, I wish to thank you from the bottom of my heart for the generous impulse which inspired the editorial and express my appreciation of the fine sentiment therein so admirably expressed. Goldfield and Tonopah are sister camps and we will rejoice with Tonopah when the conditions which have depressed the silver market have passed away and her prosperity has again returned as it surely must. The mines of Tonopah are as great if not greater than ever before and silver will again come into demand and prices rule higher than for years. When that time arrives, Tonopah will again be on every tongue and her silver contribute to the rehabilitation of a stricken continent, devastated by war. We will then rejoice with you and, in the meantime, hope your good people may enjoy at least a share of our prosperity. Yours for the good of Southern Nevada,

CHAS. S. SPRAGUE.

NEW HAVEN DIRECTOR WANTS TO CHANGE

NEW PLAN OF DEFENSE FORE- SHADOWED BY APPLICA- TION TO COURT.

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—William Rockefeller sought permission of the federal court today to change his plea to the indictment enjoining him and twenty others, ex-directors of the New Haven railroad with violation of the anti-trust laws, after having filed a plea in abatement last week.

OLD AUSTIN MINER DIES OF MINERS' CON.

HAD BEEN A RESIDENT OF LAN- DER COUNTY CAMP FOR THIRTY-FIVE YEARS.

J. P. Jones, of Austin, Nev., died this morning at eleven o'clock of miners' consumption, from which he suffered for several years. Deceased came here from Austin five months ago. He was sixty-one years of age and leaves a widow and family consisting of two sons and one daughter who is the wife of C. M. Van Patton.

HAMMERING HARD AT THE GATE OF GALICIA WITH SIEGE GUNS

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, Nov. 30.—A Russian attempt on the East Prussian frontier to make a surprise attack on the German fortifications east of Darkehmen failed with heavy losses to the enemy, including ten officers and six hundred men. South of the Vistula counter attacks are satisfactory. Four thousand five hundred men and eighteen cannon were captured.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—The Russians at last have reached Cracow, the Austrian fortress in Galicia near the boundaries of Russia. Says a dispatch. The correspondent reports Cracow is being bombarded by Russian siege guns and one suburb is in flame. The capture of Cracow has been one of Russia's objectives in the campaign against Austria, and the theory of its fall may mean Russian ascendancy north of the Carpathians.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—Germany acknowledges that the Russian northern army has penetrated east Prussia to fifteen miles southwest of Gumbinnen, twenty miles west of the German border.

In Belgium the French statement says it is the allies, not the Germans, who now are on the offensive. These are the points which stood out in today's news from the battlefields. The allies have progressed at "certain points" and fighting continues at Argonne, where the German were repulsed.

GERMANS WILL BAR OUT USE OF FOREIGN NAMES

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, Nov. 30.—A patriotic campaign to bar from Germany all foreign names of diseases now designated with Russian, French or English terms has been inaugurated by German medical men.

TAKE TEN MILES POUND OF FLESH OF THE GERMAN TRENCHES AT LOWICZ FOR CONQUERER EXACTED IN BELGIUM

GERMANS SAID TO BE LEFT IN A DECIDEDLY CRITICAL POSITION.

(By Associated Press.)

PETROGRAD, Nov. 30.—Six hundred prisoners and many wounded fell into Russian hands in the fighting near Lowicz, the Russians taking ten miles of German trenches between Gloune and Sobota. Experts are of the opinion that the German position around Lodz is more critical than during the initial reverse around Warsaw one month ago.

NAVAL ENGAGEMENT IMMINENT IN SOUTH SEA

DECISIVE SEA FIGHT MAY OCCUR AT ANY HOUR OFF URUGUAY.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Twelve British warships are patrolling the Atlantic between New York and Panama, according to wireless operators of incoming steamers. They are keeping a close watch on all forms of shipping.

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—Three Japanese and one British warship, with two colliers, were sighted off Magdalena bay in Lower California, Monday by the steamer Aztec.

(By Associated Press.)

BUENOS AYRES, Nov. 30.—Montevideo dispatches say it is believed the German squadron which has been operating in the Pacific is at present in the south Atlantic. German steamers are preparing to leave Montevideo with provisions for the Germans.

(By Associated Press.)

MONTEVIDEO, Nov. 30.—Reports that the German fleet is in the south Atlantic are confirmed by rumors that a British fleet is near by.

HEROIC QUEEN SUFFERS.

(By Associated Press.)

ROTTERDAM, Nov. 30.—Queen Elizabeth of Belgium is ill, due to overwork with the Red Cross.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 30.—A mes- sage from Brussels says the German governor of the province of Brabant, at a convoked meeting of financiers, said Belgium must pay \$7,000,000 monthly for the maintenance of Ger- man troops. In addition Belgium must contribute a war levy of \$75, 000,000 as a penalty for violations of neutrality by Belgium and the losses ensuing therefrom to Germany.

JIM CROW LAW HELD INVALID FOR SLEEPERS

NEGRO ENTITLED TO USE PULL- MAN CARS IN THE SOUTH- ERN STATES.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The supreme court today held the Jim Crow law of Oklahoma invalid in so far as it allowed the furnishing of sleeping, parlor and chair cars only to white persons.

MEXICAN RUSTLERS RUN OFF AMERICAN CATTLE

(By Associated Press.)

NACU, Nov. 30.—American cattle owners have reported that Mexican rustlers have driven hundreds of cattle to the Mexican side. Cowboys found seventy-five beaves slaughtered.

SENTENCED TO NINETY DAYS FOR ASSAULTING HIS WIFE

D. H. McNeill was sentenced by Justice Dunseath this morning to ninety days in jail without the option of a fine for assault and battery upon his wife. An appeal was taken and the defendant released on bonds.

Austrians Lose Nearly Million

(By Associated Press.)

PETROGRAD, Nov. 30.—On the basis of reports from Hungary, it is stated the Austro-Hungarian casualties to date aggregate nine hundred thousand men and nineteen thousand officers.

BULLION SHIPMENTS FROM TWO MINES SENT OUT SUNDAY

MONTANA AND EXTENSION CON- TRIBUTE WEEKLY QUOTA TO PRODUCTION.

In spite of the hurrah and good fellowship of the outside stock boom little old Tonopah continues to produce the goods with the same old regularity that has always marked the camp. Yesterday morning 52 bars of gold silver bullion went forward to the refinery from two mines. The aggregate weight of the shipments was 4,537 pounds, valued at \$45,641. The Montana sent out 31 bars as the clean up of the mill. These weighed 2,057 1/2 pounds, valued at \$23,041. The Tonopah Extension shipped 21 bars weighing 2,480 pounds, valued at \$22,800, as the result of the weekly clean up for the third week in November.

CATHOLIC CHURCH REOPENED NEXT SUNDAY MORNING

Father Dias announced the Catholic church will be ready for occupancy by next Sunday morning when regular services will be resumed. On Thursday afternoon the Knights of Columbus will take possession of the church with a cleaning bee. Next day the ladies will put the finishing touches to the cleaning.

Heavy Mortality Among Sportsmen

(By Associated Press.) DULUTH, Nov. 30.—Eleven dead and twelve wounded is the toll of the big game hunting season in Minnesota, which closes at midnight. The number of deer and moose slain was the largest in the history of the state.

(By Associated Press.) MILWAUKEE, Nov. 30.—Thirty-seven deaths resulted from hunting accidents in Wisconsin and Michigan as the toll of the fall season.

55,000 MEN PUT CASES BEFORE THE U. S. ARBITRATORS

EMPLOYEES OF WESTERN RAIL- ROADS AFFECTED BY DE- CISION OF THE BOARD.

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Arbitration of differences in wages and hours of ninety-eight western railroads and fifty-five thousand engineers began today before the board of arbitrators under provisions of the Newlands act. The increase sought is about ten per cent. Warren Stone, representing the engineers, asserted the labors and responsibility of the men had been increased.

RECOUNT INDICATES GAIN BY SAM PLATT

STOREY COUNTY ADDS TO THE VOTE AGAINST NEW- LANDS.

VIRGINIA CITY, Nov. 30.—It is believed here that the result of the election contest completed last night, when the election of Roy Barry as long-term commissioner of Storey county over Sam L. Woods was confirmed, indicates a gain for Sam Platt over Senator Francis G. Newlands, by whom, on the face of the official returns, he was defeated by 49 votes. George L. Sanford, chairman of the Republican state central committee, was present during the recount of the votes. He is of the opinion that Platt gained 13 votes.

Eleven votes were thrown out during the course of the contest. Barry's majority was reduced from 23 to 13 votes and Judge Langan ordered a certificate of election issued to Barry. The count was finished at 10 o'clock last night. The ballots rejected were thrown out for mistakes in placing the crosses and for the placing of more than one cross opposite a candidate's name. None was rejected for being marked with a pencil.

For quick results try the want ad columns of the Bonanza.